

# Godstowe

## Reading List

### Upper Division

This is a suggested list of books your daughter might enjoy reading. It is intended as a guide, and is not exhaustive. The important thing is for girls to read widely, for enjoyment. Reading abilities vary greatly, so some girls may prefer to use the list for the year above or below their actual age group. All titles listed are available in the school Library.

<b>Does My Head Look Big in This?*</b>	Randa Abdel Fattah	Other Cultures
<b>Hitchhiker's Guide To the Galaxy</b>	Douglas Adams	Humour
<b>The Trial of Anna Cotman</b>	Vivian Alcock	Relationships
<b>Skellig</b>	David Almond	Relationships
<b>Exodus</b>	Julie Bertagna	Science Fiction
<b>Dead Gorgeous Noughts and Crosses*</b>	Malorie Blackman	Ghost Relationships
<b>River Boy Starseeker</b>	Tim Bowler	Relationships Relationships
<b>The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas Remembrance</b>	John Boyne	War War
<b>Saskia's Journey</b>	Theresa Breslin	Family
<b>Kissing the Rain*</b>	Kevin Brooks	Mystery
<b>Girl With a Pearl Earring*</b>	Tracy Chevalier	Historical/Romance
<b>Calling a Dead Man</b>	Gillian Cross	Mystery
<b>Arthur: The Seeing Stone</b>	Kevin Crossley-Holland	Fantasy
<b>The Named</b>	Marianne Curley	Fantasy
<b>Catherine Called Birdie</b>	Karen Cushman	Historical
<b>The Village by the Sea</b>	Anita Desai	Other Cultures
<b>A Gathering Light*</b>	Jennifer Donnelly	Mystery
<b>Rebecca*</b>	Daphne Du Maurier	Mystery/Romance
<b>Ingo</b>	Helen Dunmore	Fantasy
<b>Under A War-Torn Sky*</b>	L M Elliott	War
<b>The Breadwinner</b>	Deborah Ellis	Other Cultures

<b>Sophie's World</b>	Jostein Gaardner	Philosophy
<b>I Coriander</b>	Sally Gardner	Historical
<b>The Owl Service</b>	Alan Garner	Fantasy
<b>Coram Boy</b>	Jamila Gavin	Historical
<b>Other Echoes</b>	Adele Geras	School/Other Cultures
<b>The Dark Beneath</b>	Alan Gibbons	Other Cultures
<b>Caught in the Crossfire Once</b>	Morris Gleitzman	Other Cultures War
<b>Dr Franklin's Island</b>	Anne Halam	Fantasy
<b>Second Star to the Right</b>	Deborah Hautzig	Relationships
<b>The Merrybegot*</b>	Julie Hearn	Historical
<b>Silverfin</b>	Charlie Higson	Adventure
<b>Cry of the Icemark</b>	Stuart Hill	Fantasy
<b>Stravaganza trilogy</b>	Mary Hoffman	Fantasy
<b>Raven's Gate</b>	Anthony Horowitz	Fantasy/Horror
<b>Kira Kira</b>	Cynthia Kadohata	Other Cultures /Relationships
<b>Kiss the Dust Jake's Tower</b>	Elizabeth Laird	Other Cultures Relationships
<b>Not the End of the World</b>	Geraldine McCaughrean	Fantasy
<b>The Doomspell</b>	Cliff McNish	Fantasy
<b>Walkabout</b>	James Vance Marshall	Other Cultures
<b>Coming of Age</b>	Valerie Mendes	Mystery
<b>Gone With the Wind*</b>	Margaret Mitchell	Historical
<b>Feeling Sorry for Celia* Alone on a Wide Wide Sea</b>	Jaclyn Moriarty	Relationships /Humour Family/Historical
<b>Private Peaceful</b>	Michael Morpurgo	War
<b>No Turning Back</b>	Beverley Naidoo	Other cultures
<b>The Wind Singer</b>	William Nicholson	Fantasy
<b>Sabriel</b>	Garth Nix	Fantasy
<b>Eragon</b>	Christopher Paolini	Fantasy
<b>North Child</b>	Edith Pattou	Fantasy
<b>Jade's Story</b>	Helena Pieliachaty	Family

<b>Northern Lights trilogy</b>	Philip Pullman	Fantasy
<b>Betsy and the Emperor* Witch Child</b>	Staton Rabin	Historical Historical
<b>Pirates</b>	Celia Rees	Historical
<b>I Capture the Castle*</b>	Dodie Smith	Relationships
<b>Stargirl</b>	Jerry Spinelli	School
<b>The Boy in the Bubble</b>	Ian Strachan	Relationships
<b>Gulliver</b>	Jonathan Swift & Martin Jenkins	Classic
<b>Ruby Tanya</b>	Robert Swindells	Other Cultures
<b>Roll of Thunder Hear My Cry</b>	Mildred D Taylor	Historical
<b>The New Policeman*</b>	Kate Thompson	Fantasy
<b>The Lord of the Rings</b>	J R R Tolkien	Classic/Fantasy
<b>Secret Diary of Adrian Mole Age 13¼</b>	Sue Townsend	Humour
<b>Homecoming</b>	Cynthia Voigt	Adventure
<b>Daddy Longlegs</b>	Jean Webster	Relationships
<b>The Survival Game*</b>	Tim Wynne-Jones	Adventure
<b>Throwaway Daughter</b>	Ting-Xing Ye	Other Cultures
<b>Face</b>	Benjamin Zephaniah	Relationships
<b>Elsewhere</b>	Gabrielle Zevin	Fantasy

### **Non-Fiction**

<b>Notes From a Small Island</b>	Bill Bryson	Biography
<b>Wild Swans</b>	Jung Chang	Other Cultures
<b>Zlata's Diary</b>	Zlata Filipovic	War
<b>The Diary of Anne Frank</b>	Anne Frank	War
<b>It Shouldn't Happen to a Vet</b>	James Herriot	Animal/Biography
<b>Cider With Rosie</b>	Laurie Lee	Biography
<b>The Other Side of the Dale</b>	Gervase Phinn	Biography

\* IVs only

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